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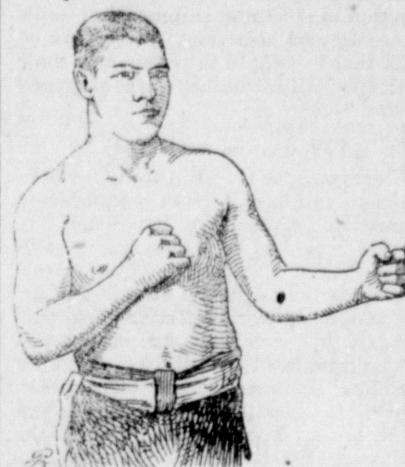
A NEW CHAMPION.

JAMES JEFFRIES, A NATURAL BORN CITIZEN OF AMERICA.

WINS IN ELEVENTH ROUND.

The Fight a Good One From a Sporting Standpoint.

NEW YORK, June 9.—(Special)—Robert Fitzsimmons lost the world's heavyweight championship to James Jeffries in the eleventh round, after a hard-fought battle. Jeffries knocked Fitz down in the second round, bringing blood, but up to the ninth round both were fighting hard, with chances apparently even. In the eleventh



JAMES SEFERIES, CHAMPION HEAVY-WEIGHT PUGILIST OF THE WORLD, round Jeffries knocked him out, Fitzsimmons being very badly punished.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The arena of the Coney Island jockey club was filled to the gates by the big crowd to see the championship contest, all of the 12,000 seats being taken.

Fitz got his nose bled in the second round. Both were reported in good shape at the end of the



ROBERT FITZSIMMONS, LIGHT-WEIGHT AND MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION.

fifth round, although it may be said that Jeffries had the best of it all the way through.

In the eleventh and last round, Jeffries hit Fitz fifteen times. The last one was a good landing with left on the point of the jaw. Fitz rolled over twice and lay until counted out. Then they set him up in his chair and he soon recovered and was reported all right. It was a clean fight, and Fitz got a good square licking.

Exchange Hotel Arrivals.

Byron Miller, New Orleans; Thomas Parks, Tennessee; D G Campbell, Washington; W H Stevens, Dallas; A R Baldwin, Richmond; W A Ryan, Paris; S S Parks, Tennessee; P G Keene, Houston; A A Farley, Baltimore.

Rev. J. B. Cochran, of Bryan who preached the commencement sermon for Chapell Hill College last Sunday, spent Tuesday night in this city the guest of Rev. G. H. Phair.—Hempstead News.

Texas can be depended upon to furnish variety. While floods are devastating the valley of the Colorado other sections are blistering from the effects of prolonged drought.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Girl Starts a Fire With Oil Which Explodes Causing Her Death.

Hillsboro, Tex., June 9.—A report has reached here of a fatal coal oil accident on the Tehuacana, in the lower part of the county, in which Miss Effie Davis, aged 14, lost her life.

She tried to start a fire by pouring oil from a can into a stove, when it caught fire and the can exploded, scattering burning oil over the kitchen, setting fire to the house and to the girl.

She ran out screaming to a tank 200 yards away and jumped in, but was so badly burned that she died.

The house is a total loss. Her mother, Mrs. J. M. Davis, who was just recovering from a severe illness, is prostrated again with no hopes of recovery.

WRECKED BY EXPLOSION.

Fourteen Houses Burn as a Result of an Explosion of Fireworks.

New York, June 9.—Thirty-six buildings, comprising almost the entire plant of the Nordlinger-Charlton Fireworks company at Graniteville, Richmond borough, were blown up late yesterday afternoon. The first explosion occurred in the rocket charging room and it was followed by a score of others in quick succession. Through flying rockets, burning splinters and balls of fire the hundred or more of employees rushed to safety. Only two were in any way severely burned. The loss will not exceed \$35,000.

An explosion at the plant of Paine's Fireworks company at Greenfield, L. I., destroyed three buildings and caused a loss of \$28,000. Although several hundred people were working about the place at the time only one was injured, and he slightly.

Texas Quarantine Lifted.

Austin, Tex., June 9.—Dr. L. J. Jones secretary of the state health department, has received a telegram from State Health Officer Blunt, who is in New Orleans, instructing him to relax the quarantine against Louisiana in certain particulars. In compliance with this Dr. Jones sent the following to all state quarantining inspectors:

Pass all freight from New Orleans except secondhand furniture and household goods, by order of state health officer. Pass no persons or express until further orders."

Charged With Bank Swindling.

Cincinnati, June 9.—John Parker, son of the cashier of the City National bank of Louisville and Fred Friedenheimer are confined in the Covington jail, on a charge of securing \$5000 from the German Insurance bank of Louisville last Monday on a forged check. Friedenheimer has made a partial confession in which he states that the scheme was concocted by Parker.

Ready For the Fight.

New York, June 9.—Everything is in readiness for the big fight tonight between Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Jeffries, and with the exception of police interference or an unlooked for accident to either one of the principals, the bout will take place as scheduled in the arena of the Coney Island Sporting club.

Abe Lee Killed.

Middlesboro, Ky., June 9.—Abe Lee, a member of the Lee faction of the Taylor-Lee feud, which raged in Harlan county 10 years ago, was killed Wednesday night from ambush. It is thought the Taylors did the deed and the Lee factions are arming. The old feud will be revived.

An Old Architect Dead.

Boston, June 9.—Gridley James Fox Bryant died at the home for aged men here, aged 88. He was at one time supervising architect of the United States treasury and had designed and supervised many public buildings throughout the country. Although once wealthy he died in poverty.

The Paris' Position Shifted.

Falmouth, Eng., June 9.—A change in the wind has somewhat shifted the position of the American liner Paris, now on the rocks near the Manacles, seriously hampering salvage operations. The heavy sea has stopped the work, which is not likely to be resumed for a fortnight.

Machine Shops Burned.

Butte, Mont., June 9.—The machine and blacksmith shops of the Western Iron works, together with valuable patterns, were destroyed by fire. The loss is \$75,000; insurance \$15,000. The fire originated in the blacksmith shop. The heaviest loss is on the patterns and the machinery.

Frank Owens Landed in Jail.

Olathe, Kas., June 9.—Sheriff Jones landed Frank Owens in the Johnson county jail, where he awaits a preliminary hearing. After Owens shot his wife Sunday evening he started for Kansas City, where a sister resided. The sheriff arrested Owens at Argentine, as he boarded the southbound train.

Fatal Laudanum Dose.

Lockhart, Tex., June 9.—The 3-year-old child of E. L. Taylor, living at Taylorsville, in this county, died from the effects of a dose of laudanum adminis-

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Acquitted of Attempted Assault.

Cedartown, Ga., June 9.—The jury in the case of Grant Bell, charged with attempting to assault Mrs. J. H. Lumpkin, returned a verdict of not guilty. Bell left town immediately.

Convicted of Assault.

Baxley, Ga., June 9.—Will Abells was convicted of assaulting Mrs. Vicey Edgerton and sentenced to be hanged June 30. The trial lasted an hour.

Library Building Contract Let.

Guthrie, O. T., June 9.—The board of regents of the Territorial Agricultural and Mechanical college, let the contract for a new library building to J. M. Ellis & Co., of Chickasha, for \$19,910.

Gold Going to Europe.

New York, June 9.—Lazard Freres will ship tomorrow to Europe gold to amount of \$2,000,000. This makes \$9,000,000 shipped this week.

PROPOSALS.

Sealed bids will be received at the president's office of the A. and M. College until 2 o'clock p. m. Saturday June 17th 1899.

1st. For fresh beef, pork and mutton to supply said college during the ensuing scholastic year. The beef furnished must be corn fed for the months of January, February, March and April. All pork to be corn fed.

2nd. For three thousand (3000) cords of good, merchantable wood, to be delivered on the college grounds at such place or places as may be designated by the president, and subject to his approval as to quality and measurement.

A certified check for \$250 must accompany each bid as a pledge of good faith and ability of bidder to make a satisfactory bond in a sufficient sum to insure faithful compliance with the contract.

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The Wichita Herald says that the prospects for wheat have very materially increased in the past week, and that a much larger yield will be realized than expected. The rains have been plentiful and have brought the crop out wonderfully. Oats and corn could hardly be better and cotton is also in good condition. The wheat is ready to harvest; in fact there has been some little cut already this week.

Admiral Sampson argues that we need to double our navy, but we do not require an increase army.

Our Asiatic possessions, he says, demand more ships. Unfortunately we do not yet possess our Asiatic possessions, and our ships can't invade the Philippines. Besides, when we shall have conquered the Tagals we will be up against the Sulus. Colonies by conquest require both ships and armies, and we shall have no peace until we increase both or quit the game of imperialism.—Galveston Tribune.

Death From Heat.

Mumford, Robertson Co., Tex., June 7.—State Convict Allen Olson was stricken down yesterday with heat upon J. R. Collier's farm and died last night. Justice T. J. Smith was called to hold an inquest. After hearing the evidence of the guard who was superintending the squad at the time he rendered a verdict of death caused from heat stroke.—Galveston News.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the water and electric light service of those who have not paid their bills will be cut off without further notice unless said bills are paid on or before June 14, as further indulgence cannot be allowed by the company.

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Miss Shepard's Honors.

"Success," an illustrated weekly published in New York, presents in the issue of June 10, as a frontispiece the pictures of six representative young ladies of the South who were present as sponsors at the Charleston reunion. Among the pictures is an excellent likeness of Miss M. Stella Shepard of Bryan, sponsor for the Trans-Mississippi department. Success says: "Winnie Davis, the 'Daughter of the Confederacy,' has worthy successors in the galaxy of young Southern women whose portraits are presented in this issue of Success, and who are known as sponsors for their section, and for their several states, at the reunions of the United Confederate Veterans. Strictly speaking, by the desire of Southern women and the Southern veterans themselves, Winnie Davis has no successor."

The Band.

A band meeting was held Wednesday night and it was found there were twenty-one applications for membership in the hands of the secretary, but no action was taken on them. Only eleven members are needed to fill out the number desired, which has been placed at twenty. So far only about \$13 per month has been subscribed towards securing instruments, while \$25 per month is needed to make the payments. We hope this amount can be speedily raised so that the instruments may be secured and the band get down to business.

WAR ON BAD MILK.

Chicago Veterinarians Start a Fight on Tuberculosis.

Chicago, June 9.—Public war on tuberculosis was formally declared Thursday night when the Chicago Veterinary society at a meeting decided to take the initiative in the crusade against the scourge. To that end they called a joint conference of the veterinarians of Chicago to meet Wednesday, June 21, at a place to be decided upon after it is determined whether the public shall be admitted. Mayor Harrison, Governor Tanner and the aldermen will be invited.

The purpose of the meeting will be to form specific plans for the prevention of the sale of milk in the Chicago market that is known to have come from nontuberculosis cows. A committee was appointed to confer with the Chicago Medical society and other institutions in reference to the details of the conference.

The papers to be read at the conference are to be confined to the subject of regulating the sale of milk with a view of exterminating the source of tuberculosis milk. The veterinarians will advocate legislation for the inspection of the cows that supply the Chicago market. The plan most in favor at the meeting was that suggested by Dr. E. L. Quitman. He said:

"It is necessary that we induce the city council to take action for the appointment of at least 60 cow inspectors. The inspectors shall give license to such owners whose cows are found to be nontuberculosis. The cows shall be tested every three months. The city shall appoint as many milk depots for the inspection of incoming shipments of milk as are deemed necessary. Every can of milk that is shipped into the city shall bear upon it the number of the shipper's license."

For Women Exclusively.

Chicago, June 9.—Within two weeks Chicago will have a hotel conducted by women and exclusively for women. A 10-year lease has been taken on the 100-room hotel building on Michigan avenue known as the Richelieu annex, and for the last week workmen have been putting it in condition for occupancy. When completed it is to be a home for Chicago business women and women travelers. It will be called the Laurel Club hotel. Four women formed the club and will have full management. Women clerks will be employed and the only men about the place will be porters and other servants to do the heavy work. Chaperones will be furnished for theater parties and outings, and twice a month an entertainment of a social nature will be given at the house.

To Reenlist Some Volunteers.

Washington, June 9.—The cabinet discussed a plan for the enlistment of several skeleton regiments at Manila from among the volunteers who desire to remain in the service, and the subsequent filling out of these regiments with recruits enlisted in this country. Gen. Otis, according to the plan, will be given authority to select the officers of these regiments from among the volunteer officers who are to be mustered out.

All Quiet in Samoa.

New York, June 9.—P. F. Chambers of this city has received a letter from his brother, Chief Justice Chambers of Samoa, dated Apia, May 18. The letter is of a personal nature, but the chief justice says that everything was quiet there then, that the commissioners were in session daily and that he was about to send to Auckland, N. Z., for his family, which he sent away in April at the outbreak of the recent trouble.

Saloon License Decision.

Dexter, Mo., June 9.—The long-drawn-out saloon fight that has been waged in Dexter for the past 30 days has come to an end by the city council granting Newton Riddle a license. Judge Fort handed down a lengthy opinion, holding that the county court alone, had the power to grant a dramshop license, and the cities in the fourth class must respect this authority.

Passenger Wrecked.

Kansas City, June 9.—The south-bound passenger train on the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad was derailed four miles south of Greenview. The smoker was turned over and one coach turned on its side. Forty or 45 passengers were injured, but none will die. All were brought to this city, but only 10 were taken to the hospital suffering from cuts and bruises.

Crusade Against Blind Tigers.

Coffeeville, Miss., June 9.—The blind tiger business, which has flourished here for the past year has come to a sudden end by the arrest and conviction of S. Christofer on two charges of selling whisky without a license and selling to minors. Christofer was fined \$1800 and sentenced to six months in jail. Peter Hooper was arrested on the same charge and other arrests will follow.

Death Sentence Passed.

Waco, Tex., June 9.—Judge Sam R. Scott passed sentence of death on Walter Ford, naming July 14, of next month as the day on which the sentence of the court is to be executed. The crime for which Walter Ford is to be hanged was the brutal murder of Lucinda Moore, a colored schoolgirl, aged 14, because she declined to marry him.

Bland's Condition Unchanged.

Lebanon, Mo., June 9.—The condition of Congressman Richard P. Bland

has not changed.

The Plague Increasing.

Alexandria, June 9.—There has been 21 cases of plague here and 7 cases from that disease. Two new cases.

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Northbound No 1.....12:18 p m
Southbound No 2.....4:03 p m
Northbound No 3.....2:07 a m
Southbound No 4.....1:48 a m

I. & G. N. Time Table, Hearne

WEST BOUND:
No. 1 leaves.....1:05 a m
No. 3 leaves.....9:05 a m

EAST BOUND:

No. 2 leaves.....3:53 a m
No. 4 leaves.....4:39 p m

BETWEEN HEARNE AND SAN ANTONIO.

No. 9, leaves Hearne.....3:10 p m.
No. 10, arrives at Hearne.....11:55 a m.

H. & T. C. Time Table Hearne

NORTH BOUND:

No. 1 arrives.....12:50 p m
No. 3 arrives.....2:45 a m

LOCAL NEWS.

Wedding presents at Caldwell's. 170
H. C. Robinson went to Corsicana
yesterday.

Gus Hettke was here from Kurten
yesterday.

Herschel Baker returned from Houston
yesterday.

Car of bulls on the track at Edge
Bros Phone 161. 166

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bailey are visiting
in Calvert.

Mrs. T. B. Graham has returned from
visiting in Waco.

Tom Goodson was here from the
Brazos bottom yesterday.

Lemps bottled beer is the best and
surest summer beverage. 166

Capt. Billy Bell was here from the
Brazos bottom yesterday.

Miss Bertha McMillan of Marlin is
visiting Miss Bettie Eayes.

Caldwell has the prettiest line of wed-
ding presents to be found in the city. 70

Miss Bettie Japhet of Houston, is the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wipprecht.

Smoke General Arthur cigars—best
on earth—sold at the Exposition sal-
loon. 1411f

Mrs. Andrew Buchanan of Hempstead
is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Paul M.
Rasor.

Workmen were busy yesterday re-
pairing the sidewalk in front of the
postoffice.

Mrs. Nick Robinson and children of
Hempstead are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H.
C. Robinson.

Before selecting your presents don't
fail to see the beautiful line at John M.
Caldwell's. 170

Squire J. M. Zimmerman was here
from Kurten yesterday and reported
damage to crops from insect pests.

Roadmaster Henry McDonald of the H. & T. C. was here yesterday superin- tending the work of getting the grounds about the depot in shape for commence- ment. Mr. McDonald stated to The Eagle reporter that it was the purpose of the company to enclose a small park south of the depot, similar to the one at Calvert, as soon as practical. This will add much to the beauty of the grounds. The space north of the depot will of necessity doubtless be reserved as an approach for vehicles.

The Eagle is requested to announce
that the evangelist, Rev. E. M. Myers,
will preach at Union Hill schoolhouse,
three and a half miles south of Bryan
on the Bryan and College road, on Friday
night June 16th, at 8:30 p. m. Everybody
invited to attend.

LOST—A scarf pin, opal with dia-
monds, emeralds and rubies, between
John K. Davis' residence and my home.
A suitable reward for its return. Tyler
Haswell. 1651f

"Sandy" Ferguson, a graduate of the
A. and M. college, and a member of the
artillery service in the late war, came
into from Belton yesterday to attend com-
mencement.

Misses Dora Schmaltz and Mamie
Baade of Waco, and Miss Carrie Fink
of Marlin, are visiting the families of
Messrs. C. A. Patterson and John Keeler.

Just received for the commencement
trade the largest and most beautiful line
of flowing end ties, club ties, crash and
straw hats at Will R. Thomas. 171

Mr. W. A. Dodson's baby is very sick
with flux. Others of Mr. Dodson's chil-
dren are sick, but not in a dangerous
condition.

New styles fashionable neckwear,
crash and straw hats just received by
Will R. Thomas. 171

Rey. J. B. Cochran has returned from
Chapel Hill, where he preached the
commencement sermon at the female
college there.

For Rent—After the 1st of June, a
five room residence. Apply to Mrs. E.
B. Roberts. 149tf

Myers Shapira returned to Madison
ville yesterday accompanied by his sis-
ter, Miss Ida Shapira, and Miss Alberta
Pais.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage in
northern part of town. Apply to Sid
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Drink Lemps bottled beer. 166

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SCHEME OF CUBANS.

Only Accept American Intervention to Outward Appearances.

A TWO-YEARS' WAIT.

Then if Cuban Independence Is Not Acknowledged and Government Turned Over to Cubans the Torch Will Be Applied.

New York, June 9.—In a private letter from a Cuban, now a resident of the United States, is a most sensational statement about the plans of the Cuban leaders. The writer is conservative and is in a position to know what is going on at present in Cuba. The information is as follows:

"The latest story from Cuba, which I have every reason to believe, having been told me by a prominent Cuban whose intimacy with the leaders in Havana lends authority to the statement, is that the former revolutionary element has decided to make a virtue of necessity and gracefully, to outward appearance, accept American intervention. At the end of two years, however, if Cuban independence is not acknowledged and the government transferred to the Cubans, the torch is to be applied from one end of the island to the other, by which means all foreign investments will be destroyed.

"When it is considered that the wealth of Cuba is dependent on agriculture developments, chiefly cane and tobacco, and that a fire brand maliciously applied in a dry cane field would cause the destruction of thousands of dollars of value in a single night, the enormity of the plot becomes apparent."

PEACEFUL BUT PROUD.

If Cubans War with Americans, Americans Can Be Blamed.

New York, June 9.—The Rev. Alfred Dekarratt, who four months ago founded a Congregational church in Havana, has returned to this country for help in aid of his religious and educational work in Cuba. Mr. Dekarratt spoke about present conditions in Cuba and the possibility of an outbreak against the Americans.

"If this occurs," he said, "it will be the fault of the Americans. The Cubans are a peaceful people, but they are also proud and sensitive, and many things have been done recently to anger them. The Cubans feel that they are being treated as though they had been conquered by us. At any rate the Washington authorities should do away with the present military government. It is worse than unnecessary; it is doing an immense deal of harm. A great many of the American officers don't like the Cubans and don't scruple to let this be known. How can you expect the Cubans to like them?"

"General Brooke and General Lee are liked and trusted, but their influence for good is nullified by the attitude of other officers."

"The payment of the Cuban troops and requiring them to lay down their arms was a mistake. The disarming was a great humiliation to the men, and the first thing a great many of them did with their \$75 each was to buy new guns and machetes."

"There is as yet no distinct idea in the minds of the majority of these people as to what they really want, whether annexation or independence. But they obtain their ideas of the United States government from the American officers and these ideas are not favorable."

Quesada's Appointment.

Havana, June 9.—The appointment of Gonzales de Quesada as special commissioner to Washington for Cuba by Governor General Brooke pleases the



GONZALES DE QUESADA.

Gomez faction, but displeases the anti-Gomez men. General Brooke regards him the ablest man among the Cubans.

Forged Cuban Army Certificates.

Havana, June 9.—More attempts are being made to forge certificates of service in the Cuban army and another man has been arrested on this charge. At Matanzas 165 men were examined Thursday, but only 125 were found to have their names on the rosts. It will probably be necessary for paymasters to stay there for several additional days.

Samuel J. Tilden's Home Sold.

New York, June 9.—Greystone, the country seat of the late Samuel J. Tilden at Yonkers, was sold in accordance with an order of the supreme court. Samuel Untermyer was the purchaser at \$171,000.

THE COTTON CROP.

Decrease Is Not Very Great According to the Latest Report.

New York, June 9.—The Commercial and Financial Chronicle's annual for June estimate of the cotton acreage in the United States says the tendency to reduce the cotton acreage this season is apparent, but the aggregate deduction from the area is not heavy. The Indian Territory stands alone in recording large increases, but the rise is due to exceptional causes. It is ascribed to the unsettled condition of Indian affairs, on account of which the farmers did not go to the trouble of diversifying their crops, fearing they cannot hold possession of their lands. The greatest decrease seems to have been in Missouri and Oklahoma.

In the Atlantic states the falling off ranges from 3 per cent in Virginia to 6 per cent in South Carolina, and along the gulf the declines are 1 per cent in Mississippi and 2 per cent in Alabama. Texas records a loss of 2 per cent, Arkansas 8 per cent and Tennessee 5 1/2 per cent. Florida and Louisiana, according to our information, have made no appreciable departure from previous areas. The changes this year show a net decrease compared with 1898 of 3,200 per cent, making the total 23,433,245 acres in 1899 against 23,175,000 acres in 1898.

As to maturity, the crop is without doubt a backward one. The spring opened late, delaying planting, and over a pretty wide area, deficiency of moisture interfered with rapid germination of the latter planted seed. At the same time the temperature has been more satisfactory than has been the case in most recent years, so that when needed rains came very satisfactory growth resulted. In Southern Texas the crop is much more advanced than elsewhere, the seed having been planted earlier and the weather conditions as a rule favoring satisfactory development. In fact, it may be said that first plantings in that state on the whole are more forward than was the case a year ago. Cultivation has been well attended to and the fields as a rule are in good shape. The only exceptions are where recent rains have allowed grass a chance to grow. As has already been noted there has been a considerable decrease in the use of artificial fertilizers. In the Atlantic states where the commercial shorts have been largely availed of in late years the takings have this year fallen off materially.

The condition of the plant generally is at this writing somewhat later, but otherwise about up to last year. In the Atlantic states and Texas, the present promise is best, but nowhere is the outlook discouraging. There has at no time in recent years been so much complaint of defective seed as in 1898. In the gulf states as well as in Arkansas and Tennessee, most of the replanting required is ascribed to that cause. Some of these replantings are only now attaining visible growth. Toward the close of May, damage by the Mexican boll weevil was reported from portions of Texas and cut worms were claimed to be doing harm in parts of Arkansas and Tennessee. But no considerable injury has resulted thus far.

Miss Nannie Paul's Suicide.

Bloomington, Ills., June 9.—There is no doubt whatever that Miss Nannie Paul, daughter of Bank President Wm. Paul of Stanford, whose body was found in Miller Park lake, this city, committed suicide while suffering from insanity. This was the verdict of the coroner's jury, and the theory is confirmed by her family. Miss Paul suffered severely from the grippe last winter, and had had slight spells of mental aberration at times since. Her family did not consider her mental condition alarming. The fact that she bought a return ticket when she left home is evidence to her friends that when she left Stanford she had not formed the determination to take her life.

Dented a Change of Venue.

Knoxville, June 9.—Application for a change of venue in the case against General James Walker of Wytheville, Va., charged with shooting W. S. Hamilton with intent to kill, was denied at Bristol by Judge Stewart. The case, however, was postponed to the July term of the Huntingdon court.

Mill and Elevator Burned.

Newton, Ills., June 9.—Martin, Dallmier & Ross steam flour mill and grain elevator burned here, together with all contents. Loss about \$10,000, insured for \$2500. There were five cars of corn, two cars of wheat and a lot of oats in the elevator.

Torrent of Water.

Wagoner, I. T., June 9.—A fearful waterspout came down about four miles north of this place. As a result many thousands of dollars' worth of property has been washed away, and it is believed that a number of lives have been lost.

Fatally Shot Himself.

Quinlan, Tex., June 9.—Cal Dennis, a young farmer living two miles west of this place, fatally shot himself with a doublebarreled shotgun.

Found Not Guilty.

Texarkana, Tex., June 9.—In the district court of Miller county Charles Harper charged with shooting with intent to kill was acquitted.

Given Two Years.

Houston, June 9.—Frank Moore, on charge of burglary, was given two years in the penitentiary, in the criminal court.

Young Farmer's Rash Act.

Terrill, Tex., June 9.—W. C. Dennis, aged about 35 years, killed himself with a shotgun eight miles north of here.

TOWNS UNDER WATER

Colorado River Running Through San Saba and Menardsville.

HOUSES SWEPT AWAY

Crops Are Ruined, Farm Houses Destroyed and Cases of Drowning Reported—The Worst Is Still to Come.

Austin, June 9.—From reports coming in from towns along the Colorado river indicate that thousands of dollars worth of property have already been destroyed and the worst is not yet.

From Menardsville and San Saba come the worst reports. At the former place the town was completely flooded. Large buildings were washed and others were cracked and ruined.

The water came down Tuesday morning while the residents were asleep. It is feared there are many fatalities.

Bad Mogford tried to swim his horse from the hotel to the courthouse and was washed off his horse and clung to an old wagon wheel until a rope was thrown him.

The whole San Saba valley is flooded.

At San Saba the water reached seven feet deep in the main business street of the town and measured 10 inches on the courthouse floor.

John Callan's drug store, Dr. McKnight's office, Charles Graham's barber shop and T. G. Schumard's lumber yard in the business portion of the town, were washed away.

Residences belonging to Dock Maddox and F. Lukenback and a rented house belonging to D. G. Benchoff were destroyed in the residence section.

Four or five residences a mile or two below town were washed away. Philip Pockensmith in one of them lost everything.

A Mexican was drowned and that, so far as known, comprises the total of the lives lost by the flood.

The damage is inestimable to the crops of the entire valley which are ruined.

The reason no more lives were lost is that the people were watching the river in expectation of trouble.

John Callan and Max Russell had the narrowest escapes of any in town, being forced to swim out.

A great many unverified rumors reached here of the loss of life and great destruction of property both above and below Austin.

The grandest sight in Texas is the great dam here with nearly 10 feet of water pouring over its crest. Thousands of people visit Lake McDonald and view the awe-inspiring torrent as it leaps in its mad rush over the firm masonry of the dam.

A great deal of drift is coming down. It embraces gigantic trees, dead animals of divers kind and almost every conceivable sort of farm products.

The powerhouse is not in danger unless the waters should rise above the pen stocks. There is little probability of this occurring, as the top of the masonry is fully eight feet above the water level now. Should the waters of the lake gain this height, a difficult time would be experienced in preventing great damage being done to the east end of the dam. The dam proper is without any apparent tremor.

Iron Bridge Goes Down.

Smithville, Tex., June 9.—The Colorado river is still rising. The iron bridge which has been under course of construction fell with a crash and all of the temporary work, as well as about one-half of the heavy iron was washed away.

Drowned in the Colorado.

LaGrange, Tex., June 9.—The Colorado river is still rising rapidly. About a 20-foot rise so far. The ferryboat at Winchester came through here. John Ernenky, a Bohemian 54 years of age, attempted to capture it seven miles up the river and was drowned.

The current is very swift and carrying a continuous mass of driftwood. The river is still rising.

Red River Away Up.

Denison, Tex., June 9.—Red river is away up, and the rains upstream seem to have been very heavy, as the size of the stream is far above the normal at this time of the year.

Cars and Contents Burned.

Eastland, Tex., June 9.—Freight train No. 18, westbound, was wrecked 14 miles east of Eastland. The train consisted of 15 cars, all of which, except four, were telescoped into each other, and formed a mass 50 feet high.

The engine and tender had just passed over a small trestle when it gave way, and 11 cars rushed into each other, catching fire from the friction. The cars and contents are totally consumed. Loss not known. Brakeman William Caulkons was seriously injured and Ed Saddler slightly.

Twenty-eight Men Reported Buried.

Little Rock, June 9.—Report reaches here that a landslide at Ross Hollow engulfed 28 men, all of whom are supposed to have been killed. Ross Hollow is a pass between two mountain ranges, west of Little Rock, on the line of the Chocaw and Memphis railroad now under construction from Little Rock to Howe, I. T. The scene of the accident is 28 miles from here over a rough stretch of country and it is impossible to get news from there.

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